Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Kerrie Hepworth traveled thousands of miles from her homeland, Australia, leaving behind family and friends to become a resident of the city of Pierre, South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Kerrie spent eleven months in Pierre as a foreign exchange student with the American Field Service program and graduated from Riggs High School with an excellent record of achievement; and,

WHEREAS, Kerrie participated in numerous extra curricular activities at Riggs High School including playing the part of a juror in the play "Twelve Angry Jurors," and Lt. Louise Kimble in the play "Mash"; and,

WHEREAS, She also became an active member of the Pierre Swim Team and was named Swimmer of the Week; and,

WHEREAS, Kerrie shared with South Dakotans the Australian culinary delight Veginite; and,

WHEREAS, The people of South Dakota have enjoyed her friendship, her warm and wonderful smile, and her charming personality; and,

WHEREAS, Kerrie fell in love with South Dakota's people, its snow and its early driving age; and,

WHEREAS, We will all miss Kerrie when she leaves for the "land down under" on July 5, 1990:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 5, 1990, as

KERRIE HEPWORTH DAY

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Ninth Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE